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LANCASTER, CARRARD COUNTY.

—Mr. Rice Benge, the newly elected jailer, has filed his bond and is ready to enter upon his duties the 1st of January.

—W. S. Miller, of Knoxville, is here closing up some of his old outstanding business. He is looking fat and hearty.

—The Christmas presents to be distributed on the 25th may be numerous, but will not be expensive. Reason why—hard times and scarcity of funds.

—It is thought that the "Ben Davis" and "Wine Sap" apples now upon the market are vastly inferior to the "Milam" and "Janet" of olden time. There is undoubtedly a deterioration in the quality of fruits, and especially so as to apples.

—The urchins of the city have laid aside their base ball bats and taken to stilts. They do this because it is all fun and no work, and though the pay is limited, it shows their willingness to do something, however nonsensical it may appear.

—The marriage of Mr. Fisher Gaines and Miss Mamie Curry at the Christian church Wednesday afternoon attracted an immense crowd of the citizens of the town and county. The ceremony was performed by Eld. Gowen in his usual excellent style and everything was conducted with order and decorum. The ushers were polite and attentive; the music was charming and decorations of the church magnificent. The bride and groom, after receiving the congratulations of friends, took carriages for Danville, where a banquet awaited them at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

—Miss Katie Simpson is spending the holidays with Miss Bessie Marksbury. Miss Mae Ware, of Hopkinsville, is the guests of Mrs. R. E. McRoberts. Mr. P. E. Hughes is visiting relatives here. Misses Alice Young, Mattie Walker, Ora Ray and Georgia Miller are at home from school to spend Xmas. Mr. Hugh Grant is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Grant. Miss Carrie Curry entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Gaines Friday evening. Mr. H. A. B. Marksbury has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati. Mr. A. H. Rice is here from Dayton, Ohio. He will return Wednesday with his wife, where they will reside in the future.

REDUCED RATES TO CHICAGO.—The Monon Route will sell excursion tickets from Louisville to Chicago and return at $10.65, also to all local points on its line and points on the Big Four, B. & O. S.-W., I. D. & W., Vandalia, Wabash and T. St. L. & K. C., at one and one third fares on Dec. 24, 25, 31 and Jany. 1st, good returning until and including Jany. 2nd. Also to all points as specified above, they will sell to students with letter of identification from the President or Principal of their College or Seminary, tickets with return limit of Jany. 11th, 1895. Passengers are received by this line at the Union Station, 10th & Broadway and delivered at the Dearborn Station, the one situated nearest the central portion of Chicago. Excursion tickets will be honored on either the Day Express leaving Louisville at 7:16 A. M. or the elegant Pullman Limited, leaving Louisville 8:11 P. M. For fuller information, call at Monon Office, N. W. Corner Fourth & Market Streets, or address, E. H. Bacon, District Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky.

The Queen & Crescent announces a special rate of a fare and a third for the round trip from Cincinnati and from all stations in Kentucky, account Lexington, Ky., Midwinter Fair and Exposition, December the 19th to January 8th. It will undoubtedly be the greatest exhibition ever held in Kentucky. Tickets on sale via the Q. & C. every day during Fair, good until January 9th to return. CHAS. W. ZELL, D. P. A., Cincinnati, O.

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Through line from Chicago to St. Paul and Minneapolis, making close connection (no transfer) with lines running to all points in Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, California, and Pacific Coast points. The direct line to all points in Eastern, Middle, Northern and Western Wisconsin, Ashland, Duluth and all Lake Superior points. Double daily through train service with first-class equipment. For full particulars address any ticket agent in the United States or J. C. Pond, general passenger agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

The Queen & Crescent Route always meets the public requirements. For holidays this year they are the first to announce low rates to all Q. & C. points, and to certain territory on connecting lines. Ask agents for particulars.

Bucklin's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions. It positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. R. Penny, Stanford, Ky.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottle free at A. R. Penny's Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

"HAPPY JACK"

In a Land Where There are no Fleas.

PORT STANLEY, FALKLAND ISLANDS Oct. 20th, 1894.—I shall try to be careful and not tire your readers with this communication; shall begin with the town and its people as I see them.

Stanley has a short 1,000 people, is beautifully situated upon one of the loveliest bays that surround the two main islands, on a gentle slope running back from the bay without a break in the slope which renders the wide paved and plked streets perfectly level the long way of the town with only a slight elevation for the cross streets. There are numbers of as fine residences here as you can find in Lincoln county, while there is not a shanty or tumble-down structure in it, and there are no rags or misery, while fleas and bed bugs have never invaded the islands.

I have seen grown people here who have never been so far as West Falkland, who never saw a tree, field of wheat, corn, hemp or tobacco, or anything that is cultivated, who never laid eyes on a big road wagon, a pair of horses to a fine carriage, a railroad or steam or electric car, a mill for grain or lumber, a factory for fabrics, not even a public road of the ruilest kind. Think of a woman who has never thought of looking for a flea before going to bed, yet the people are as cultivated and refined in every social and business way, as in any part of our country. The ladies are well educated and accomplished—have all the new music and songs, and the young gentlemen know how to assist them in all the dances that our boys assist our girls in anywhere in the United States, whenever a girl is in need of that kind of help. I had hardly landed before "After the Ball" and "Daisy" was ringing in my ears, while one young lady "stirred the blood in an old man's heart" by singing in sweetest melody, "My Old Kentucky Home." I felt like taking her in my arms, one time any how. My heart got so big I had to go out doors to turn round. Stanley is a poor place for a numskull, and he seems to have found it out and stayed away and a fellow who is not sharp enough to drive down is hard to find in the Falklands. Everybody was up to snuff before coming here to live—except me, and if you undertake to sit down on a native, you will find yourself seated on a flax hackle if you are not careful. As a proof of their shrewdness one fellow sold a down East Yankee a ship load of peat to run his ship to Boston; they use peat for fires here, the Yankee never got out of the bay with his peat. The chap who sold the peat was born and raised in East Falkland, was 23 years old when he made the sale and—"had never been from home," and I am praying that he never will go the United States, because a raw hand who can do that, could break up a half dozen Jay Goulds, if he had good training. Tell Stanford to look out, he is living yet and is worse than any Missouri, Kansas or Texas bank. I hope he may never see Sister Hayden or Aunt Cath.

They have the Catholic, Episcopal, Methodist and Baptist churches here and the same kind of religion seems to prevail that I have seen everywhere I have ever been. You can't tell the sheep from the goats. It makes me feel like I was at home.

The Falklands (all told) are about as large as 15 or 20 counties like Lincoln and have about 2,000 people living out of Stanley. Twenty-five years ago there were not exceeding 5,000 sheep on those islands, now there are 750,000 or more, and last year's output of wool was 3,797,194 pounds, and that don't amount to a snap of your finger, when compared with the same business in Patagonia and Terra-del-Fuego, where they are just beginning and where they have the same kind of country and same kind of grass and the same way of handling their wool as here. They only begun 10 years ago, and as the islands have now about as many as they can carry, they ship their surplus of ewes and bucks to those countries for breeders. Terra-del-Fuego is about the size of Kentucky. Christmas, when the shearing begins, the sheep carry their own fleeces to the sea board—are sheared, the wool compressed into 500 pound bales, loaded on a ship at the sheep pen, and away it goes to market, and this being the only business there is no use for roads. There are no burrs. The wool is of the finest quality of its kind, that is, the coarse is the very best coarse, &c. Every care is taken in breeding. The shepherds absolutely live among their sheep. Nothing grows in those countries but grass. After it has been closely grazed and well tramped it seems to form a sod, that is more like our, blue-grass than any grass I have ever seen. It stands the winter precisely as blue-grass and furnishes the finest grazing. Cattle and Merino sheep have played out.

In the Falklands a thief and murderer have no way of escape. They can't swim the Atlantic, nor is there a hiding place. Argentine five years ago sold no wheat. Last year she exported 30,000,000 bushels. How is that for a new scholar? Looks like she is spelling up towards head, don't it? Walter A. Wood has his agents and binders there as well as in New Zealand, Roumania and India. I came down with two of his agents, and saw lots of U. S. binders in Montevideo, cheaper than in Stanford. The world seems to be moving and Uncle Sam must look to his laurels. Everybody, regardless of age, sex or "previous condition of servitude" will please take this as a personal letter to themselves and write accordingly. I have not been sick a day since I left.

Good-Bye,
J. H. MILLER.

—A Winchester merchant last week advertised "mufflers for a song," and a wag came in and picked a fine one and warbled "Sweet Marie." Then he walked out, and the merchant swore at the office boy.

—Capt. Buford A. Tracy, a prominent citizen of Winchester, was accidentally killed by being caught in an elevator shaft. His neck was broken.

—Mound City, Mo., has a 13 year-old boy who weighs 242 pounds, and Casco, Me. a 12 year-old girl who weighs 225 pounds.

—G. C. Bottoms, a Harrodsburg dry goods merchant, has failed for $30,000.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism; his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Illin running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba O., had five large fever sores on his leg; doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by A. R. Penny, druggist.

CRAB ORCHARD.

—The social event of the season was the large dining at the hospitable home of Mrs. Clara Singleton, given in honor of Mr. J. F. Cummins and wife previous to their departure for Stanford. The menu which graced the table was delightful in every respect. There were over 100 invitations issued and all were unanimous in pronouncing the occasion one long to be remembered.

—Among the holiday festivities at Crab Orchard, the one most to be remembered was the musicale at College Home, Friday night, which was to the regret of both teachers and scholars, only enjoyed by the parents and near relatives, on account of scarcity in house room. The musicale was a grand success, each pupil acquitting herself very creditably and deserving special mention. The chief feature of the occasion was "Santa Claus' Mistake," which was participated in by every scholar and altho' but little time was consumed in practice, not a mistake occurred and it would not have been more beautifully rendered had there been months of practice devoted to it. One act of the play was a Christmas tree laden with beautiful presents for the children and distributed by Santa Claus, which was of course much enjoyed both by the pupils and audience. After the play ended refreshments in abundance were served; the Professor and his wife then gave the home over to the young folks and they made merry and enjoyed the treat immensely until late in the evening. Our town now has what we have long needed and our citizens should exert their every effort in behalf of the success of the College Home. A school with such competent instructors as Dr. Stapp, wife and daughter is an honor to any town and we sincerely trust the principal will meet with such unbounded success that he will think it profitable to remain in our midst many years and instruct our children both in knowledge and social duties.

—Rev. Will Andereon is home from Mossy Creek College to spend the holidays. Johnny Edmiston, of Georgetown, came home Friday to spend Christmas. Mr. Craig Stafford, of Campbellsburg, and Miss Anna Austin, of Paint Lick, who attended College Home, left Saturday for their homes to spend the holidays. Miss McWhorter, of Laurel county, is visiting her brother, Mr. John McWhorter. Mrs. Alice Newland spent a few days very pleasantly with friends and relatives in Cincinnati during the past week. Part of her visit was with Miss Kate Cochran at the Conservatory of Music, where Miss Kate is, so her teachers say, making fine progress in music. Miss Sallie Green is spending a few days with friends in Lancaster. Mr. W. A. Brooks is home to spend the holidays with his mother. Prof. Smith has gone to his home in Ohio to spend Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClure are now at home to their friends in their new and cozy little cottage. Miss Maud Pettus is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cummins, in Stanford. Mr. J. T. Chadwick and little Eddie Bailey are visiting friends in Mt. Vernon. Mrs. Melinda Rees was unexpectedly called to Paint Lick Thursday to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Mary Cochran, who died of stomach trouble. Mrs. Cochran was well and favorably known in this section, having been raised here. Her many friends and relatives regret her premature death, as it came so sudden it found all unprepared for the sad news.

The following is the programme of the 5th Sunday meeting at C. O. Baptist church, Dec. 29 and 30: Devotional exercises at 10 A. M.; sermon 11 A. M.; adjournment 12 M.

Devotional exercises 1:30 P. M. Subject, Reflex Influence of Foreign Missions 2 P. M., T. H. Campbell, A. B. Anderson, F. P. Bryant. Second subject, How to develop the Mission Spirit, 3 P. M., A. V. Sizemore, R. R. Noel, G. D. Hendrickson. Adjournment 4 P. M.

Devotional exercises 7 P. M. Subject 3d, Destitution Within our Bounds, 7:30 P. M., J. E. Cosby, J. G. Pond, A. J. Tribble.

Sunday, devotional exercises 9 A. M; Sunday school 9:30; Subject 4th, The Need for Sunday-Schools, 10 A. M., Revs. Townsend, A. J. Pike, Scott Anderson. Subject 5th, Systematic Giving, 11 A. M., J. W. Warder.

For rheumatism I have found nothing equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It relieves the pain as soon as applied. J. W. Young, West Liberty, W. Va. The prompt relief it affords is alone worth many times the cost, 50 cents. Its continued use will effect a permanent cure.

For sale by Dr. S. G. Hocker, druggist, Stanford.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Mr. Ira P. Wetmore, a prominent real estate man, San Angelo, Texas, has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in his family for several years as occasion required, and always with perfect success. He says: "I find it a perfect cure for our baby when troubled with colic or dysentery. I now feel that my outfit is not complete without a bottle of this Remedy at home or on a trip away from home."

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THE CASH SYSTEM,

And find it a success, and every one realizes the advantages and economy of a strictly Cash System.

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W. P. WALTON.

ANOTHER Christmas day has dawned upon the earth, bringing with it gladness and good cheer to millions of hearts. No matter how callous it may have become, it is a stony heert indeed that does not warm up and beat faster on the annual recurrence of this day of days, as it recalls the happy time when Santa Claus was regarded as a living, breathing personality, omnipresent, omnipotent and of fabulous opulence, a fat and jolly old gentleman, who drove a team of reindeer to a sleigh filled with everything that childish heart could wish and which it could get by hanging up a stocking near the chimney that he would descend on his rounds. It is one of the sweetest and most harmless delusions that childhood enjoys. Could anything more charmingly illustrate their abiding confidence and innocence as this stocking-hanging and impatience for Christmas morning to come? And yet there are people so unutterably good as to think or rather claim, that it is wrong to encourage the delusion. Hades is full, or will be, of such good goody creatures. It can do no harm and the memory of it will linger lovingly as long as life shall last. What joy could the millions of little hearts have experienced this morning equal to that of awaking and finding their stockings rammed and crammed with what they most desired?

While commending and cherishing this innocent myth, we have nothing but execration for the other custom of celebrating the grandest event in the history of the world by raising pandemonium and doing other heathenish deeds at variance the spirit and traditions of the day. The firing of bombs and other explosive may be well enough for the 4th of July, but it is out of sense and reason to celebrate the natal day of the Savior of the world in such a way. It is strange too that while peace and good will should animate the hearts of every human being the occasion should be embraced by the blood thirsty for deeds of vengeance and murder. May there be a complete change in these things this glorious time and may thankfulness to God and brotherly love have full course and be glorified. Let us not forget that we are celebrating the birth of Him, who brought salvation to the world, a Savior which is Christ the Lord and join in the glad hosanna "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, good will to men."

Extending to each of our patrons, the paid up as well as the delinquent subscriber, the compliments of the season and wishing them many returns of the day, we close the volume of 1894, to begin a new and with fresh vigor, Jan. 1, 1895.

THE report of Warden George give the gratifying information that the convicts at Frankfort are nearly self supporting. There were received during the year 561 prisoners, leaving after deducting discharges and deaths 1,156 within the walls, Dec. 1, of whom 133 are serving life sentences. The cost of feeding and clothing the prisoners was an average of 14 2 5 cents per day per convict. The net earnings of convict labor were $6,838.66, which only lacks $801.71 of feeding and clothing them for the year. An awful object lesson for prohibition is the statement that of the prisoners received during the year 429 claimed that they committed their crimes while drunk. This may or may not be true. Drunkenness is no excuse for crime, but it is often given as an excuse, and in a majority of the cases truthfully.

ON being notified of his election as honorary member of the Young Men's Bradley Club at Louisville, Gov. McKinley, of Ohio, acknowledged the honor and took occasion to pay Col. Bradley a high compliment and express his respect and admiration for him. And speaking of the gallant colonel the opposition, if there was opposition, to his nomination for governor, is melting away and his is the only name heard now in connection with it.

THE nomination of Mr. Clark for U. S. district judge of Tennessee, was promptly confirmed, but it was recalled in order to investigate charges against him of unprofessional conduct, such as taking fees on both sides of a case, &c. Those who know him say that he is incapable of such acts and that the disproval of the charges will be an easy matter.

A Sam Jones imitator down in Daviess county came near being mobbed by his hearers, who reconsidered and gave him a reasonable time to leave. He didn't take half of it, but standing not on the order of his going went at once to more congenial fields.

THE Carlisle currency bill has been doctored until its daddy hardly knows it. The prospect of any currency reform at this session has gone glimmering. Meanwhile the gold reserve is dwindling and another sale of bonds will soon be necessary.

THERE were three killings in Kentucky Saturday night, a pretty fair start for the usual Christmas slaughter.

—President Cleveland is back in Washington. He killed 50 ducks in one day, while in South Carolina.

NEWSY NOTES.

—A negro was lynched at New Orleans for firing into a crowd.

—Three men are said to have been killed in a riot in Wilcox county, Ala.

—Citizens of Newmarket, Ind., applied the torch to the only saloon in town and destroyed it.

—William Dulin and his son were fatally burned by a gas explosion at Parkersburg, W. Va.

—In a wreck on the London and Northern railroad 19 persons were killed and 60 were seriously hurt.

—George Work, a prominent farmer near Lonisville, was killed by a falling limb while felling some trees.

—Statues of Daniel Webster and Gen. John Stark were unvailed in Statuary Hall in the Capitol at Washington.

—The boiler in Dearing's grist mill near Glasgow, exploded killing five men, one of whom was a son of the owner of the mill.

—Capt. B. A. Tracy, a prominent citizen of Winchester, was struck on the head by a descending elevator and instantly killed.

—James Mack, colored, was given three years in the penitentiary at his trial at Lexington for stealing a horse, which he sold for 25 cents.

—John Hines struck Joe Latimer on the head with a bed slat, at Catlettsburg, killing him instantly. They quarrelled over a game of craps.

—While playing around a bonfire at Bowling Green, O., Frank Hazelman, was pushed into the flames by playmates and burned to death.

—Senator Quay has introduced a bill authorizing the expenditure of $1,000,000 for the purchase of a site on Columbia Heights for a President's residence.

—Rev. Ebenezer Todd, pastor of a Baptist church at Wichita, Kansas, is in jail awaiting trial for assaulting Miss Delia Coffey, a 16 year-old member of his flock.

—The snowfall in the vicinity of Sissons, Cal., during the last five days measures 96 inches. The railroads are blockaded and many small buildings have collapsed.

—President Debs, of the A. R. U. has changed his mind and decision to appeal from Judge Wood's decided. The case will be carried to the United States Suprume Court.

—This has been the worst year for 20 years for railroad building. The total number of miles built is 16,19 1 8. Thirteen States, including, Kentucky, didn't build a mile.

—Recent gales have caused great loss of life in England, besides much damage to property. Many ships have been driven ashore, and 90 or 100 persons are reported dead.

—John Stanley and Clarence Cox were hanged from the same gallows at Maynordsville, Tenn., Saturday, for murdering an aged couple at Union City, Tenn., in February last.

—The Japanese have defeated 10,000 Chinese near New Chwang, in what is described as the fiercest fight of the war. The Chinese lost 500 killed or wounded and their assailants suffered severely.

—China has at last decided that it has been whipped enough, and will sue for peace. Two envoys have been detailed to go to Japan, and if an armistice can be arranged a halt will be called at once on the fighters.

—The work of testing the constitutionality of the income tax is actually afoot. The aim is, if possible, to get a decision before the Government goes to the trouble of putting the collection machinery in operation.

—J. B. Gay, a school teacher at Picton, Texas, started to whip Wilmer Randolph, one of his scholars, when the boy stabbed him and ran out. Gay then drew a knife and stabbed him as he went. Both fell and are badly wounded.

—State Sreasurer Hale, in an interview on the condition of the State's finances, said the situation could be permanently relieved only by legislative action—an increase in the tax rate or a reduction in authorized expenditures.

—A tramp walked into a bank at Toledo, O., and demanded money. The demand was promptly refused when he produced a package he claimed was a bomb and which he threatened to explode if he did not get money. The bank officers hustled him out and on examining the package an orange instead of a bomb was found.

—The real cause of Robt. Louis Stevenson's death in Samoa was excessive smoking of cigarettes. The novelist smoked from 100 to 150 a day, and when he started on a slow cruise to Samoa he carried 200 large boxes of cigarette packages with him, and then fearing that he might run short, had a large reserve supply of tobacco and paper.

—Suit has been entered by Capt. J. C. Bryant, of the Second Regiment, K. S. G. asking for a writ of mandamus to compel Gov. Brown to approve the pay roll of Capt. Bryant's company for services while in camp of instruction in 1891. The suit is to test the the legal point involved, and affects the vouchers for the entire Second Regiment, amounting to about $4,000.

—Judge Lurton has appointed Gov. Turney a Special Commissioner to sell certain stock of the Cincinnati Southern and Alabama Great Southern railway to satisfy a judgment for $450,000. The sale will cause a sharp contest between the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton and the Southern Railway Company for possession of the stock and control of the Queen and Crescent.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Rubenstein, 2:08, has won 22 heats at an average of 2:10¼.

—Pike county comes to the front with a hog that weighs 976 pounds.

—Cut Glass, 2:17, has been raced two years and has never made a break.

—W. H. Traylor bought of Silas Anderson 17 cattle averaging 995 pounds at 3c.

—J. T. Embry sold to Montie Fox, o Danville, a three-year old gelding for $110.

—John Anderson sold to W. H. Prewitt, of Boyle, a small bunch of fat steers at 2¾c.

—Dandy Jim trotted the fastest heat ever trotted in Texas, when he went in 2:14 at Honston.

—James Monroe Loer, the largest importer and breeder of jacks, died at his home near Paris.

—Lexington will hold a spring running meeting, beginning April 26 and continuing eight days.

—Jos. Garret has sold the great saddle mare, Lou Chief No. 1142, to John Spratley, of New York, for $2,500.

—P. W. Green sold to Moss & Rue, of Danville, the gray mare formerly owned by George D. Hopper for $120.

—Anderson & Spilman bought this week 200 barrels of corn from Allen Kennedy at $2 delivered.—Advocate.

—Chas. E. Butler has sold his 213-acre farm, one mile from this city, to Geo. W. Wyatt, at $110 per acre.—Paris Kentuckian.

—Decendants of the American bred sires won $21,876 of the $73,000 paid out by the German trotting associations this year.

—The 1st of January is about here. Those owing me for horse or jack service will please consider the situation. E. P. Woods.

—Joe A. Cohen shipped three carloads of 250 pound hogs to Cincinnati yesterday that he bought at 3¾ to 4c.—Woodford Sun.

—Three of the get of Shadeland Onward have an average record of 2:07½. They are Online,. 2:04; Ontonlan, 2:07½ and Fred K., 2:09¾.

—John Cook bought of Dr. J. F. Peyton a harness gelding for $110. He is shaping up a half dozen or more horses for the Danville sale.

—Carpenter Bros. bought in Western Kentucky 150 steers averaging about 1,100 pounds, at $3 15. These cattle will be fed at Saffell's distillery.—Anderson News.

—A car load of race horses belonging to George Hays' of Fayette, were either killed outright or badly injured in a freight collision at Pulaski, on the Cincinnati Southern.

—M. F. Elkin bought of R. G. Collier a lot of fat hogs, 250 pounds at 3¾; and a lot of Dwight Root at same price. He also bought some 1,100-pound beeves of H. F. Worley at 3 10.

—Mrs. John Logan this fall sold 44 turkeys for $58.90, a record hard to beat. Brock & Reileback shipped Wednesday a car load of hogs, which were bought at $3.40 to $3 60, and a car load of butcher cattle which cost about 2½cts.—Winchester Democrat.

—Hon. John S. Owsley, Sr., who took a car-load of two year-old mules to Atlanta, has returned. He found it almost impossible to dispose of them, so had to leave them in the hands of a commission man. It takes a mighty good mule he says, to bring $75, prices being off fully $15 from last season.

—A. S. Tribbie shipped a carload of fat cattle to Louisville Tuesday night and one of them was the finest steer ever shipped out of Hopkinsville. He weighed 2,205 pounds and was raised by Ben D. Moore. The price paid for him by Mr. Tribble was 5 cts., or $110.25.—New Era. The same steer brought $6 10 in the Louisville market.

—A good crowd attended Lancaster court yesterday, but very little trading was done. There were about 50 cattle on the market. Butcher cattle were dull at 2½c and a few feeders brought 3 30. Plug horses and mules were slow at any price. Dick Gentry bought privately 26 121 pound hogs at 3½c and 22 1,350 pound cattle at 3.37½.

OF A LOCAL NATURE.

—Richmond has 32 lawyers.

—It is highly probable that another Swiss colony will be established in Laurel county. Col. Johnson is in correspondence with the Swiss Government regarding the advantages of the country.

—The killing of her husband by Mrs John A. Cox, at Grays, turns out to be a very bad case. The woman is in jail at Barbourville with her four children and it is said that the chances are that she will hang.

—Ex-Gov. and ex-Senator James L. Alcorn, who moved from this State to Mississippi in 1844, after holding several important offices, died at Jackson, Thursday night. He was a relative of the Alcorns of this county.

—The injunction in the Pineville mayoralty contest was dissolved by Judge Clark. The effect of this action is to permit the Pineville Council to choose a Mayor or recognize as Mayor Mr. Hurst, who was elected by part of the Council.

—The announcement of the official vote in Texas shows an overwhelming majority in favor of the two constitutional amendments proposed. One of these authorizes the Legislature to expend any sum to $100,000 a year in aid of a home for Confederate soldiers and sailors. The other makes elective officers of the Railroad Commissioners.

LONDON, LAUREL COUNTY.

—School is out at Laurel Seminary today, the 24th.

—The Swiss citizens had a Christmas tree at their church Sunday.

—There will be Christmas trees at the Methodist and Christian churches.

—Judge R. Boyd arrived Sunday evening and was shaking hands with his many friends in his old-time way.

—Pleasant Gregory found his three months old baby dead in bed Sunday morning. It was thought to have been accidentally smothered.

—The London Dramatic Company will produce a splendid play at the Jackson Opera House during the holidays. The Knights of Pythias will not produce their play "Damon and Pythias" until Feb. 24th.

Any one who has children will rejoice with L. B. Mulford, of Plainvile, N. J. His little boy five years of age, was sick with croup. For two days and nights he tried various remedies recommended by friends and neighbors. He says: "I thought sure I thought sure I would lose him I had seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised and thought I would try it as a last hope and am happy to say that after two doses he slept until morning I gave it to him next day and a cure was effected. I keep this remedy in the house now and as soon as any of my children show signs of croup I give it to them and that is the last of it."

25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Dr. S. G Hocker, druggist Stanford.

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BEST FOR SHIRTS.

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE CO., CIN'TI.

FOR RENT.

The Rodemer place at Rowland, Ky. Good dwelling and 104 acres of fine land. Possession given Jan. 1, 1895. J. S. OWSLEY, Jr.,
8o tf Stanford, Ky.

MISS LOU ELLIOTT,

TRAINED NURSE,

STANFORD, KY.

(P. O. BOX 169.)

REFERENCES:—Drs. Bailey, Peyton and Carpenter. 8t 11

FOR RENT.

A Nice Fire-Proof Brick Store-Room at South Somerset,

Best location in Somerset for Gents' Furnishing goods or any business where a cash trade is desired. Address Perkins & Reddish, or call on Dr. Reddish on premises, Somerset, Ky. 6p 8o

NOTICE!

All persons having claims against A. R. Penny will present them properly proved to me at once, and those owing the estate are earnestly requested to settle. GEO. L. PENNY, Exor.,
8t td Stanford, Ky.

Bank Stock for Sale.

As Executor of Mrs. S. M. Newland, dec'd, I will, on County Court Day, MONDAY, JAN 14, 1895, in front of the Court House door in Stanford, Ky., expose to public sale

20 Shares of Stock in the First National Bank of Stanford.

J. C. MASON,
8t td Executor of Mrs. S. M. Newland.

TO THE CITIZENS

Of Lincoln County.

The New

Lancaster Planing Mill,

Lancaster, Ky.,

Is now in full operation, and invites the attention of the builders of Lincoln county to its material, superior workmanship and low prices. Note

SOME OF OUR PRICES:

Perfectly clear poplar or yellow pine flooring at $4per hundred. As low as $1 50 per hundred. Perfectly clear yellow poplar weather boarding at $1.50 per hundred. As low as $1 30 per hundred. All patterns and thicknesses of Ceiling in yellow pine, poplar, chestnut and ash, as low as $1.25 per hundred. Double dressed lumber as low as $2 per hundred. Beautiful yellow pine finishing lumber, quarter oak, &c. Save money by giving us your orders.

THE LANCASTER PLANING MILL,
73 6m Lancaster, Ky.

PUBLIC SALE OF

LAND & STOCK!

We will sell to the highest and best bidder at our place 1 mile from Turnersville on the McKinney, Knob Lick & McCormacks pike, on

Saturday, Dec. 29, 1894,

Our Farm of SIXTY ACRES, on which there is a good dwelling and all necessary outbuildings, is in a good neighborhood and convenient to churches and schools. 20 acres already in wheat, 10 acres in grass and balance in cultivation. Good young orchard and abundance of water.

Will also sell 11 work Mules. 50 Southdown ewes 3 milk cows, 3 good mares, 9 sows and pigs and a good lot of farming implements consisting of wagons, plows, harrows, &c.

TERMS.—On land, ⅓ cash, balance in 1 and 2 years, equal payments. On personalty, 6 month's time without interest. Negotiable notes, payable in Farmers Bank & Trust Co.

B. G. & J. L. GOODE,
Sotd McKinney, Ky.

WHEN!

In the history of Stanford has such an opportunity been presented to the people? Commencing at once we shall offer such unheard of values as to make this week's sales a veritable harvest for the consumer. Remember we have promised you the greatest

CUT -:- SALE

On record for this week and a few prices below will show you that we do not intend to disappoint you. Read carefully, you will be sure to find something mentioned that you are in need of, as our stock is large and assortment varied.

Down Go THE Prices.

All Calicoes, Indigo blues, Simpson blacks and all best brands go at 3½c. Trion AAA ⅞ extra heavy unbleached Cotton 3¾c; good heavy bleached canton flannel 4½c yard; Apron check and dress ginghams 4½c; double width dress goods all shades 8½c; all shades half wool Henriettas 12½c; ladies' pure linen silk embroidered handchiefs 5c each; ladies' all silk handsomely embroidered handkerchiefs 10c; All linen Damask napkins white and colored borders, combed fringe 35c dozen; elegant towel 54x26 in nice patterns colored borders only 20c pair; 36 inch long Turkish bath towels for same money. Men's underwear good and warm only 45c suit. Don't forget to lay in a supply of our standard knitting yarn 25c lb. Men's unlaundered shirts, don't fail to see them, at 25c. Same in boys' sizes 20c. Men's night robes; Eureka cotton handsome silk embroidered fronts extra length 50c.

How Is This For Shoes.

Can any one undersell us? They have never done it yet? So here goes. Infants' Shoes at 20c; a good heavy woman's shoe 50c; gentlemans nice dress shoe 90c; good heavy working shoe for men 60c; full stock, solid leather boot, at $1 25. Our clothing stock is the largest and most complete in Central Kentucky and is one continuous bargain through the entire line.

LOUISVILLE : STORE,

STANFORD, KY.,

A. URBANSKY & CO., Proprietor

T. D. RANEY, Manager.

Branch Stores.

Paris, Carlisle, Mt. Sterling, Bardstown, Lawrenceburg, Cynthiana, Virsailles, Ky. and Mackport, Ind.

LOOK!

At These Prices and Then Decide Where to Buy Your Christmas Goods.

20 pounds	Granulated Sugar	$1 00
23 "	Light Brown Sugar	1 00
25 "	Stanford No. 1 Flour	47
25 "	Stanford Fancy Family Flour	42
25 "	Stanford Belle of Lincoln Flour	39
1 package	Arbuckles, 4X or Lyon's Coffee	22½
3 pound cans	California Apricots	20
3 " "	Peaches	15
3 " "	Nice Table Peaches	15
3 " "	Pie Peaches	10
3 " "	Nice Apples	10
2 "	Best Citron	35
1 "	Best London Layer Raisins	10
2 "	Best Dates	15
3 "	Best California Prunes	25
2 "	Stick Candy	15
1 "	Nice Mixed Candy	10
2 "	Mixed Nuts	25
1 Dozen	Large Oranges	20
1 "	" Lemons	15
1 "	" Bananas	10
6 Boxes	Sardines	25
1 Bushel	Bolted Meal	55

And lots of other Bargains too numerous to mention.

CALL : AND : BE : CONVINCED!

That we sell goods Cheaper than any other house in the city. Lots of Xmas goods, dolls and toys.

E. L. REINHART'S Cheap Store,

On Depot Street, Below Carpenter House, Stanford, Ky.

THE BLUE-GRASS HERD OF

Duroc Jersey Red Swine

R. H. Bronaugh, Pror,

Orab Orchard, - - Kentucky.

Pigs for sale from the best types of Registerd Stock. Breeders secured from the best herds in several different States. Correspondence Solicited.

JOHN H. KIRBY,

INSURANCE AGENT, STANFORD,

FOR FIRE, LIFE, ACCIDENT

And TORNADO. Temporary office at D. W. Vandeveer's store.

H. G. RUPLEY,

Merchant Tailor,

Is Receiving His

FALL -:- AND -:- WINTER -:- GOODS.

Goods Warranted and a Perfect Fit Guaranteed. Give me call.

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E. C. WALTON, Business Manager

PERSONAL POINTS.

PROF. L. C. BOSLEY is up from Campbellsville.

MR. S P. SALTER, of Lexington, is at Mr. M. F. Elkin's.

MRS. PRIESTLY, of Glasgow, is visiting Mrs. E. P. Woods.

MR. F. M. ANSLEY, road master of the L. & N., was here yesterday.

MESSRS. W. D. STAGG and A. P. Young, of Casey, were here Sunday.

MISS MAUD SPRIGG, of Glendale, is visiting Miss Elizabeth Menefee.

MISS DORA STRAUB came on yesterday's train to spend Xmas at home.

MISS HATTIE ELLIS, of Eminence, is visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Ellis.

MISS HELEN THURMOND is up from Hardin county to spend the Christmas.

MR. GEORGE W. TRIBBLE, of Springfield, Mo., is visiting his son, Mr. W. A. Tribble.

DR. J. HALLECK BALLOU has rented the brick house belonging to Dr. W. N. Craig.

MR. W. L. EVANS and wife are spending Christmas with her mother at Hustonville.

MISSES BELLE DENNY, Mattie and Dollie Alcorn are home from the Oxford, O., Seminary.

DR. W. N. CRAIG has laid aside the sawbones for a few days and is enjoying a visit here.

MISS LUCILLE MENEFEE, Emily Alexander and Allie Bettis are up from Lynnland College.

PROF. W. G. LACKEY, of Elizabethtown, is with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. G. A. Lackey.

MRS. E. P. OWSLEY and Mattie Hays, of Columbus, Ga., are visiting Mrs. Kittie Burnside.

MR. A. T. SUNNELLEY is here from Texas to spend the holidays, as fat and as jolly as ever.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIS ADAMS, of Mt. Vernon, were here buying Christmas goods yesterday.

MR. H. L. GEER, who is engineer on a road out of Chicago, is with his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Wm. Geer.

MISSES KATIE ALCORN and Annie Bronaugh Engleman are up from Nashville, enjoying the season at home.

MR. W. H. WEAREN has rented Mrs Kate Hays' property on Main street and will move in about Jan. 1st.

MR. D. B. ENNISTON was here yesterday for the time since spring. Dr. J. S. Cooper, of Livingston, was also here.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN SAM OWSLEY, JR., went to Franklin Saturday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Owsley's parents.

MESSRS. JOE SEVERANCE, JR., Richard and Will Hocker and Richard Bush are over from Lexington to enjoy the festal season.

MR. G. E. JOHNSON, son of Col. E. Polk Johnson, was here seeing after some recent thefts on the L. & N. of which he is special agent.

PROF. J. M. HUBBARD left Saturday night to visit his sons, Ernest and Eugene, who are in a leading banking house at St. Louis.

MISS MARY HOLMES LUSK took the train here Saturday for Lancaster, where she will spend the holidays. Mr. Leslie M. Reid accompanied her this far.

MISSES SUE, Annie Bells and Bessie Woods are over from Millersburg College to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Woods.

MISSES SUSIE BRINKLEY, Calla Hix and Katharine Waddell, three of Somerset's most charming young ladies are visiting here, the former, the Misses Menefee, and the latter, Miss Sue Willie Hale.

MR. S. R. KENNEDY, who has been master of trains on the O. and N. railroad for over five years, has resigned that position. Mr. Kennedy has been in Texas for three weeks, and has secured a very lucrative railroad position out there and will leave his old Kentucky home for the West.—Owensboro Inquirer.

THE Falkland Islands Gazette of Oct. 11, has this personal: His Excellency the Administrator has this day been pleased to recognize John Harris Miller, Esquire, as Consul at Stanley, for the United States of America. By Command, Charles W. Hill, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, 4th October.

CITY AND VICINITY.

READ our list in big "ad" Severance & Son.

How is this for a present. A Down comfort at $2.90 and $4.85. Severance & Son.

FOR RENT.—My large new dwelling on Upper Main street. Eight rooms. S. P. Stagg.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—My house and 11 acre lot on Danville pike. Mrs. Fannie Dunn.

TOYS and candies cheaper than any house in town. If you don't believe it try me. R. Zimmer.

FOR RENT.—House and premises on Danville Avenue, now occupied by J. M. Carter. Apply to Judge Varnon. Miss Mary Varnon.

OVER 300 invitations have been issued to the entertainment of the J. G. and B's at Mr. J. N. Menefee's, Christmas evening and a royal time is anticipated.

NEW white kid slippers at Severance & Son.

FOR RENT.—The Pink Cottage. Apply at this office.

FINE China will now be sold at cost, at Danks, the jeweler's.

BIG reduction on everything in our line for the balance of the holidays. Danks, the jeweler.

GET your Xmas presents from our stock. Reduction on everything at Danks, the jeweler.

TIMES may be hard but the venders of Christmas trix tell us their sales exceed those of a year ago.

THE weather has continued warm and clear till yesterday when showers were threatened. The signal service predicts a fair Christmas day.

MR. E. H. BRAZLEY says the prospect for a full house at his declamatory contest, Thursday night, 27th, is very fine. Reserved seats on sale at McRoberts' at 50c.

IT looked very much like court day in town yesterday, except for the fact that so many ladies were on streets. The stores did a good Christmas Eve business.

THE regular election for officers of Lincoln Lodge No. 69, A. Y. M. will be held at 1:30 P. M., Dec. 27. The members will please observe and govern themselves accordingly. H. J. Darst, Worshipful Master.

THE Presbyterian Young Ladies' Missionary Society will give a missionary tea at the Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening, 26th, at 8 o'clock. There will be no admission fee charged, but any contribution will be gladly received.

NANCY FIGG, an old colored woman who lives on the creek near the bridge on the Hustonville pike, has lost a husband and nine children within the last year and a half. The last death was that of a daughter a few days ago of consumption.

WHAT IS IT?—The INTERIOR JOURNAL says that the boys of Stanford are arranging a hop for Christmas night and will have to import girls to dance. You can't get any from Falmouth. Besides we have a different name for dancing down here.—Democrat.

SOME scoundrel stole Mrs. Sue Singleton's bay mare, the only horse she had, and she is in much trouble. The mare has a knot on her left hind foot and another under the chin. She is not able to pay for her recovery, but she will be grateful for any information that may lead to getting her.

THE editor and his force are tired and we suppose our readers are tired also, so we are going to take a rest and give them one by missing the next issue. We shall be on hand again Jan. 1, with a stout heart and a steady determination to give our patrons a better paper in 1895 than ever before.

Mr. M. F. ELKIN, who got up the Maccabee lodge at Lancaster, was paid a high compliment on his work as an organizer by Supreme Commander, D. P. Markey, who was here last week. Mr. Markey also stated that Mr. Elkin could get a permanent position with the Maccabees if he so desires.

SUN TIME.—On Sunday, the 16th, Mr. Robert Fenzel, who has charge of the clock on the court-house, changed it from solar to standard time, but the moss back magistrates met Saturday and ordered that it be set up to solar time again, which is 20 minutes faster. John Bailey moved that the clock be turned over to the town to keep in repair and run as it sees fit, which should have carried, but it didn't.

THE College closed for the holidays with a pleasant little recital, in which all the music and elocution pupils took part and acquitted themselves most creditably to themselves and to their teachers, Misses Cowen and Hughes. As there were 32 numbers on the program, our space will not permit a notice of each performer, and it would be invidious to particularize when each did so well. The entertainment closed with a solo by Miss Cowen, which sent everybody away with a feeling of gladness that he went.

THE store of Mr. S. H. Shanks was entered by thieves Saturday night, who got away with at least $200 worth of goods. Entrance was effected by raising the bolt of the cellar door with a wire, and then boring a hole in the door of the cellar steps large enough to insert the hand and pull out the bar that holds it down. Fortunately Mr. Shanks had removed every cent of money from the drawer, but the way they took off overcoats, shoes, hats, bolts of cotton, &c., showed that the scamps must have had a team to haul them away. The store was greatly torn to pieces, goods being scattered helter skelter in great confusion. There is no clew to the thieves, but as the job was evidently done by those fully acquainted with the room, there are hopes that they may yet be apprehended.

This is the second time Mr. Shanks has suffered from thieves in two years and he is getting pretty tired of it. In another column he offers a reward of $50 for the arrest and conviction of the rascals and is going to leave nothing undone to bring them to punishment.

OVEN gaiters for ladies at Severance & Son.

OUR line is the finest in the county and our prices were never so low. Danks, the jeweler.

THERE remains but two more days for you to get bargains at B. F. Jones & Son's store, and if you are as wise as the bee you will improve each shining hour.

WE expect to move to the house occupied by Mr. Mack Huffman, January 1, and will move everything in our stock by that time. Read our ad. and then come and see us. Hughes & Tate.

WE are to have another bloodhound, Messrs. S. H. and M. S. Baughman, T. D. Newland and others having made up a purse with which to buy one. Col. Huff Dudderar will keep him with his and train them both.

THE Kings Mountain Canning Company has made an assignment, in face of the fact that we recently published on Manager Wm. Chesterfield's statement that it had cleared 35 per cent this season. Somebody made a big mistake. Dr. Ed Alcorn is assignee.

THE pennywise and pound foolish policy that seems to prevail at the water works is destined to get both them and the town in trouble. Every piece of machinery that can be duplicated, except at great cost, should be kept and we should be spared in the future the annoyance of two nights in darkness and nearly a day without water, especially since we have to pay for them. Accidents are liable to happen in the best regulated families, but they can be reduced to the minimum in water works by the proper foresight and expenditure. The stoppage of water might have caused a boiler explosion at the Roller Mill had not the engineer been very watchful and the failure of lights without notification put people to untold trouble. Let us have what we pay for, or at least notice that we are to be deprived of it.

KILLED.—Another Rowzie has died with his boots on, the way most of the brothers have gone. At Junction City Saturday afternoon, Cage Rowzie, after imbibing freely, bought a lantern and went around holding it in people's faces and making them tell their names. He scared several almost into spasms and at last Marshal Frank Ellis went to him with a warrant and told him he was under arrest. "You can't arrest me," the man replied and at the same time thrust his hand in his pistol pocket. He had the weapon nearly out, when Ellis seeing his danger let go a bullet into his breast, which felled him to the earth. Even then Rowzie attempted to raise his pistol and shoot, but Ellis shot him again and a third time; all in the region of the breast, and a tempestuous life was ended. A son of Cage attempted to go the body, but Ellis prevented him and putting him under arrest, lodged him in jail. He then gave himself up and was put under guard.

Ellis will have his examining trial Wednesday. It is reported that Cage had killed a man or two himself, but we could not learn how true it is. He had had many scrapes in his life and was a very bad man when in his cups. There was a large family of them, but we believe all have been killed save one.

THE Maccabees were in high feather Thursday night. They had the supreme commander of the world and the supreme chaplain as their guests and kept open house in their honor and for the benefit of their friends in Stanford. The Opera House was filled with people to hear Hon. D. P. Markey expatiate on the beauties and advantages of membership in the Maccabees and they were repaid for their time. The exercises began with an invocation of Divine blessing by Rev. A. V. Sizemore. The Stanford orchestra gave a selection and then Mr. John Sam Owsley, Jr., in a few well chosen words extended a pleasant welcome to the audience. A solo by that charming vocalist, Miss Mary Cowen, followed, which was pronounced by judges to be one of the finest efforts ever heard here. She was loudly encored and responded in another beautiful selection. Chairman A. J. Earp then introduced Supreme Commander D. P Markey, who for an hour told of the blessings of beneficiary societies in general and the Maccabees in particular. The growth of the order has been phenominal, largely exceeding any other of the 32 beneficiary societies, and having now a membership of 175,000. It pays out about $4,000,000 annually in insurance, of which it furnishes the cheapest known, it requiring less than $1 a month to carry $2,000. Ordinarily statistics and figures are mighty dry and tiresome to listen to, but the speaker relieved them by an occasional well told anecdote and kept up the interest throughout. One beauty of a policy in the order is the quick time in which it is paid after notification of death, not over a week elapsing as a general thing and as proved in the case of Sir Knight Wm. Moutray here. At the close of the lecture, Miss Nora Moreland sang a solo in her most captivating manner and the audience dispersed, after benediction by Mr. Sizemore. The lodge here now numbers about 30 members and is in a most flourishing condition.

—The killing of a prominent farmer of Brooks county, in Southern Georgia, is reported to have caused a conflict in which seven negroes were shot to death, and a race war seems imminent.

AT their final meeting Saturday the magistrates failed to adopt any of the plans for road working named by the last Legislature, so it will devolve upon the new fiscal court to do so. Sheriff Menefee's delinquent list of 705 names was allowed and sold to him for $40. Judge Varnon was allowed $60 additional for making settlements and S. M. Owens was given the balance of his claim of $99.80, which was rejected at the last meeting. An order was made to pay J. S. Owsley, Jr., $125, to supplement his pay as Commonwealth's attorney. J. B. Paxton was appointed to settle with the sheriff, and after the passage of a number of minor claims, the court shut up shop forever. Under the new order of things only four magistrates will compose the new court, against 16 now.

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—Sunday at Mr. Jonathan Singleton's, Miss Julia Singleton and Mr. G. W. Sims were united in marriage.

—Virgil Winters, of Chillicothe, O., was run over and killed by a train while going to the home of his intended to be married.

—Mrs. Edna Craycraft, of Robertson county, took 'Rough on Rats' when her sweetheart went back on her, but the doctors saved her with their stomach pumps.

—Miss Lucile Gruber, of Toledo, O., has filed a suit for $75,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage against Roswell Messinger, a young man who recently fell heir to $100,000. It is kind in her not to try to take it all.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Paint Lick, Garrard county, has 13 young men who are studying for the ministry.

—Rev. J. W. Fitch closed this week a very successful meeting at Pleasureville, which resulted in 33 additions to the church.—Winchester Democrat.

—The Pope has again forbidden members of the Catholic church to join secret societies, a decree emphasizing this interdiction having just been promulgated.

—We are sorry to record the fact that Bro. C. S. Lucas, pastor of First Christian Church, of Alleghany, is again disabled. He has recently undergone a critical surgical operation for abscess on the brain with assurance of recovery in time, which we earnestly pray may be realized.—Penn Disciple.

—The Christian church has now called that excellent preacher, Rev. W. E. Ellis, for an indefinite time, and everybody who knows him is glad. The church was packed Sunday morning as evidence of it and he did not send them away empty. He always gives his hearers something to think about.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE. One 2-horse Wagon, nearly new, Fairbanks Scales that draw 4,000 lbs. Those wishing to purchase will please call on me at Stanford. John S. Bledsoe

$50 REWARD.

I will give the above reward for the arrest and conviction of the thieves who broke into my store in Stanford on the night of Dec. 22d.

S. H. SHANKS.

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At: Cost.

Till January 1.

Watches, Jewelry,

Or any article in

Silverware!

G. L. PENNY, Exr.

TO THE LADIES!

My stock of Millinery and Notions is kept constantly complete by weekly purchases and you can always find what you want. I invite you to call and inspect

MISS LICCIE BEAZLEY,
Stanford, Ky.

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers Bank and Trust Co. will be held at their banking house in Stanford on the first Wednesday in January, 1895, for the purpose of electing 11 Directors to serve the ensuing year

J. B OWSLEY, Cashier

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Hustonville will be held at their banking house in Hustonville on the second Tuesday in January, 1895, for the purpose of electing nine Directors to serve the ensuing year, between 9 and 12 o'clock, a. m.

J. W. HOCKER, Cashier.

Stockholders' Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Stanford will be held at their banking house on the second Tuesday in January, 1895, for the purpose of electing 11 Diretors for the ensuing year.

JOHN J. McROBERTS, Cashier.

A XMAS PRESENT.

For Ladies.	For Gentlemen.
Ladies' Macintoshes.	Fine Shoes.
Ladies' Fine Shoes.	Fine Suspenders.
Fascinators.	Fine Half Hose.
Gloves, Silk and Woolen.	Ties.
Cloaks.	Fine Linen Handkerchiefs
Muffs.	Mufflers.
Silk Handkerchiefs	Gloves.
Mufflers.	Silk Handkerchiefs.
Fine Shoes,	Hats,
Dress Patterns,	Down Comforts,
Silks for Waists.	Shirts,
Hamburgs,	Cuffs
Pocket Books,	Over Gaiters.
Card Cases,	Fine Underwear.
Elder Down Comforts,	A pair of Wankenphast Shoes.
Towels,	Collars,
Table Linens,	Night Shirts.

CALL AND SEE US.

SEVERANCE & SON.

COLLOSAL

XMAS -:-: SALE!

We expect to move the 1st of Jangary to the house occupied by Mr. Mack Huffman and will make the effort of our lives to sell all the goods we possibly can before tdat time. Relief to strained pocket books will be our motto. We will sell more goods for the same money now than was ever sold for the same money in our city. We want to carry as few goods with us as possible and low prices is

The GREAT MAGNET

We shall offer. We want to sell every Cloak and every Overcoat we have and will make pricer do it if possible. Our men's, boys', youths' Clothing shall be cut to suit your pocket. Novelty dress goods, broad cloths, Henriettas, figured and plain black Dress goods, ladies' cloths and everything in that line must go. Men's underwear 20c to $1.25; ladies' vests 10c to $1; boys' underwear 25c to $1; ladies' godola shoes $1.25; our French kid shoes $2 to $2 75; we offer the best man's boot ever offered at $1.25 to $1.50. Besides all these we have a big line of goods for Christmas that we do not want to move.

Sleigh Lap Robes, Fur Rugs, ladies', misses' and children's Muffs, Table Covers, Towels, Napkins and Dining Sets, Lace Bed Sets, Lace Curtains, Draperies, Corsets, Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Fascinators, Gloves, samples of Carpets in 1 yard pieces, the "J. B." and "P. D." Corsets and everything in the you can get at

LOW -:- PRICES.

We want to move as few goods as possible. With your help we hope to have very few to move. Come and see for yourself.

HUGHES & TATE.

MERRY XMAS!

Thanking you for your trade, we Still Sell

DRUGS AND BOOKS,

And Everything in our line at the Lowest Prices.

W. B. McROBERTS,
Bookseller and Druggist.

WHEN TO BUY,
HOW TO BUY,
WHERE TO BUY.

Buy now for the Holidays.

Buy with the Cash. You make the time clear by getting more goods for your money.

The Cash Furniture Store is the place to buy good designs and get big bargains

W. W. WITHERS,
Opposite the St. Asaph.

ECONOMIST!

A Wrought Steel Range on exhibition at Higgins & McKinney's is a Beauty. The Economist has been sold for years but this is the Improved. We will put it in your kitchen and if it is not what we claim we will remove it at our expense. Call and see it.

HIGGINS & McKINNEY.

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THE dear word, Christmas, marshals legions of precious memories out from the past and crowns the future with a halo of golden, cheery promises. Out from the shadows come the festive times when Santa Claus was a verity, with his fat paunch and great, rosy cheeks; when, on awaking, stockings filled to bursting greeted the eye, and at eventide the flashing Christmas tree fairly laughed its satisfaction at the joyous gladness it was diffusing all around.

Day of the children! An infantine laugh is the divinest of songs in the ear of the Christ, who was once a helpless babe, His only shelter a mother's loving breast. The Man-Christ took little ones in His arms and blessed them, declaring that all must be as they in trust and innocence, if they would be heirs to His everlasting kingdom.

Day of home-bringing and home-gathering, when the loved ones meet and unselfishly live in the pleasure each of the other. Tender affection banishes self and man lives in touch with his fellow, glorified of the divine benediction of love. He is nearest to divinity who gets farthest from self, and the gifts of Christmas-tide are so many pledges of disinterested esteem for the recipients. A time is this when care rolls away like a scroll in the fire, and mirth and good will become the all-pervading genii of the household. Love and joy cross the threshold and kiss one another, as they pronounce a blessing upon all beneath the roof. Peace covers the dear ones as a mantle, and gladness so abounds that it is the day of all days throughout the metes and bounds of Christendom.

Christmas of sleigh-bells and crystal snow, Christmas of warmth and flowers, for the Christ-day girdles the earth and embraces all climates and all nations, and everywhere, thank God! it is a day of festive joy and happiness—a fitting commemoration of the fulfillment of the promise made by the herald of God in the glowing words: "I bring you glad tidings of great joy, which shall be unto all people."

It is peculiarly the Christ day, a time when the beauty of His self-abnegating life is reflected in sublime majesty. Never a selfish shadow obscured His path; His the grandest of all epitaphs; He lived and He died that others might live forever. A man without a home, He has gladdened and brightened millions of homes. He was a man of sorrows, acquainted with grief, yet from His presence an ocean of consolation has spread out and covered the earth with its waters of healing. His last prayer was an intercession for His enemies, and His last sigh a breath of confidence in God.

The glory song of the herald angels, sung at the first Christmas, that paean of praise to God and pledge of peace to man, shall never die. The grandest of all carols, dearest of all angel hymns, time has destroyed none of its sweetness and has preserved all of its promise. Peace and amity dwell where the spirit of Jesus prevails, and each Christ day is a benison indeed to those who see His face through the clouds and the mists of mortality.

Christmas, the home day, the Christ day! May its lessons and its blessings gladden all hearts and make a truth of the common salutation: "A Merry Christmas be upon you."

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THE FAD OF THE HOUR.

The man in the moon hangs up his stocking.—Golden Days.

An Even Exchange.

Mrs. Bride—I suppose you and Fred will give each other handsome holiday presents?

Miss Planee—Yes; we have promised to surrender our liberties to each other right away.—Raymond's Monthly.

HIS CHRISTMAS ADVENTURE.

"Did you take Miss Phair under the mistletoe last night?"

"Yes, and then went out under her father's missile-toe."—Judge.

FADLEY'S CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

BY FRANK B. WELCH.

Young Mr. Fadley was in a worry. He had some Christmas presents to buy, and what to get was what worried him. First and foremost, there was Miss Damon, upon whom he was anxious to create an impression—she must have something appropriate and elegant, whether anybody else got anything or not. Then there was his bosom friend and constant companion Harvey, a good fellow who had placed him under obligation times without number—him he could not forget. This being the case, Fadley started out to rummage the stores.

He overhauled all the leading shops in town, and by Christmas Eve had collected what he thought was a pretty sensible lot of presents for an amateur Santa Claus to get together. For the lady of his choice he had a handsome toilet outfit of combs, brushes, powder puffs and boxes, manicure implements, hand mirrors, and no end of other elegant articles for feminine use. These were all inclosed in an elaborately beplushed and inlaid case which was neatly wrapped and all ready to be sent to the intended recipient. For his friend Harvey he had an elegant shaving set, consisting of razors, brushes, cups, hones, etc., done up in a substantial case which was also ready to be dispatched to the home of his friend.

Not daring to trust a messenger with the presents for fear of some mistake Fadley started out himself to deliver them. First he called at Harvey's house, timing his call so as not to catch his friend at home. With his friend's mother he intrusted the package, she promising that it should not be tampered with until Harvey should open

"JUST AS IF I WERE IN NEED OF A SHAVE."

it himself the next morning. Then he called at the abode of Miss Damon. The ring was answered by a servant, who said the young lady was out doing her Christmas shopping. Here was a piece of good luck. Leaving the package with explicit instructions as to its delivery Fadley said he would call, Christmas night, as per previous arrangement with the young lady.

There was a big job off his hands, and Fadley mentally patted himself on the back at having done it up so neatly. He pictured to himself the glad surprise of Miss Damon when she should receive the substantial evidence of his regard, and chuckled over the little surprise in store for his dear friend and chum, Harvey. Early Christmas morning Miss Damon received her package, upon opening which she exclaimed:

"Well, I never! Just as if I were in need of a shave. Who ever has been so kind as to furnish me with this tonsorial outfit?" Then her eye caught the corner of a card sticking out of one of the compartments of the case. This she drew forth and read:

"From yours faithfully,
H. IRA FADLEY."

"Oh!" said the mischievous young lady; "Mr. Fadley, eh? Well, just wait till he comes this evening. I'll bawl 'Next' at him; see if I don't."

Of all the mortified swains that ever got into a pickle Fadley felt the worst when the idea of his heart flashed the shaving tools on him. He was utterly speechless, until it occurred to him that his friend Harvey had his dear one's toilet set and one of the sweetest of little notes that ever a lovesick fellow put together.

"Great snakes!" thought Fadley; "if he reads that note I'll never hear the last of it." Then he explained the mistake and begged off long enough to hasten over to his friend's house to exchange the packages. He found Harvey at home, and as that amiable young man jerked him into the hall he simperingly inquired:

"Is my hat on straight, Ira dear, and how do my bangs look?"

"Say!" fiercely ejaculated Fadley, "if you don't shut your head I'll break it for you!"

But there was no time to be lost, so Fadley, after duly acknowledging that the cigars were on him, gathered up the toilet set and sped back with it to the one for whom it was intended.

That was not the last of the joke on him, by any means. The thing leaked out, as such things invariably do, and poor Fadley was so annoyed by facetious allusions to his Santa Claus experience that he was compelled to threaten with consequences dire anyone who mentioned the subject.

An Absorbing Girl.

"There is no such person as Santa Claus, is there?" asked a small girl of her mother.

"Some folks say there is not," was the reply.

"Well, I don't care. I don't like folks who say there isn't any Santa Claus. They never give any nice presents."—N. Y. Journal.

A Slip.

Dr. Thirdly—I wish you would hold the missionary box until after Christmas; I may want to send some things.

Elder Berry—I know what you are thinking of; but they don't wear slippers in Alaska.—Puck.

The Child of Light.

BY CHARLES EUGENE BANKS.

BORN in a manger at Bethlehem.
Thorny the path He trod,
Mournfully heavy the cross He bore,
Heir to the wisdom of God.

Mournfully heavy the cross He bore,
Broken and steep the way,
Bearer His message because of pain,
Light of the world to-day.

Bearer His message because of pain,
Like by its like caressed,
Gracious as rain to the sun-dried plain,
Millions those tears have blest.

Gracious as rain to the sun-dried plain
Turning the dull earth bright,
Truth is in blossom because of Him,
Ring in the Child of Light.

Truth is in blossom because of Him,
Sin is grown old and gray,
Welcome the gladness of doing good,
Welcome the gentler way.

Welcome the gladness of doing good,
Welcome the joy of love,
Banish the serpent, the hawk and owl,
Welcome the child and dove.

Banish the serpent, the hawk and owl,
Banish the man-made creed,
Welcome the brotherhood broad, divine,
Welcome the MAN indeed.

Welcome the brotherhood broad, divine,
Banish the narrow and mean,
So shall His kingdom be over the earth—
Ring in the Nazarene.

HIS CHRISTMAS GREETING.

BY ELISA ARMSTRONG.

The cemetery gates closed with a clang behind one man as he stepped out into the snow-covered road; it was almost dark and he nearly run into the other man who stumbled along as if very weary.

"Yonder's th' shortest way into town, isn't it?" the latter asked.

"Yep. Most folks want to know th' shortest way out," he grinned.

"I'm glad enough to get out o' where I was," muttered the other. As he lighted his pipe the flame showed his pale face.

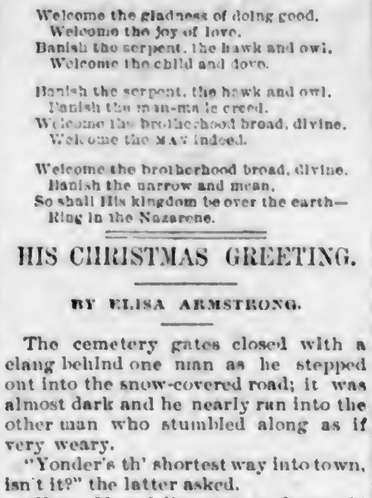
The other man edged away. "Ye ain't been in jail?"

"Worse. Penitentiary. Ye needn't be askeered, though—I've had enough. Didn't do it, either, but, ye see, I was kind o' good for nothin', an' the judge was running for reelection, so I went up. Got out for Christmas, though, on account o' good behavior."

"Um, well, so 'tis Christmas time—folks oughtn't to be hard on nobody now."

"No. I most took ye for a Christmas ghost a bit ago."

"Been working late. I'm a stone mason, and I'd promised a rich old party



"MARY LYONS WAS THE NAME."

to have a stone put over a child's grave by to-morrow, sure. He said he'd like her to have *something* for a Christmas gift."

"Poor soul! I'm better off of he is rich. I'll see my kid to-night. My brother's been talking keer of her since I was took. I'll take her now, an' I'm bound to keep straight, for her sake, from now on. That man got any more kids?"

"None. This was only adopted; belonged to some poor relation, but he loved her like his own. Died sudden about ten days ago—he took it hard, too; said he was forty-nine and she only about ten, so he'd expected she'd choose *his* headstone."

"Poor soul! My girl's most ten now."

"Lemme see," he lit a match and consulted a paper as they walked along, "she was nine years, eleven months and three days old. It was a pretty stone; the boss says: 'Nothing's too good for Mary,' says he."

"Mary! Why, that's my girl's name—here, lemme see that!" The match went out and his fingers trembled so that he could not light another.

"Mary Lyons was the name," said the stone mason, gently.

"Merciful God, my own child!" cried the ex-convict.

Then, through the still night air, the glad church bells rang out.

He Was Surprised.

Mrs. Gazzam—I've got a box of cigars for my husband's Christmas present, which will surprise him.

Mrs. Maddox—Women don't know how to buy cigars for men.

Mrs. Gazzam—I know that, so I got brother Jack to get them for me.—Judge.

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Mrs. Newlywed—How I love to hear the merry Christmas bells.

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" Elkhorn	7 11	4 11	1 15
" Switzer	7 18	4 18	1 40
" Stamping Ground	7 28	4 28	2 00
" Duvall	7 34	4 34	2 10
" Johnson	7 40	4 40	2 20
" Georgetown B	7 46	4 46	2 35
" C. S. Depot	7 55	4 53	3 00
" Newton	8 05	5 03	3 20
" Centreville	8 16	5 11	3 35
" Elizabeth	8 20	5 15	3 45
Arrive Paris C	8 30	5 25	4 00
" Paris Junction		5 28	

TRAINS WEST.	No. 2. a. m.	No. 4. p. m.	No. 8 a. m.	No. 12
Lve Paris Junction		5 42		
Lve Paris C	9 45	6 05		4 35
Arr Elizabeth	9 58	6 15		4 55
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Arr Newtown	10 08	6 27		5 30
Arr C. S. Depot	10 18	6 42		
Arr Georgetown B	10 35	6 45	7 07	5 50
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Arr Duvall	10 47	6 57	8 10	
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Arr Elkhorn	11 11	7 20	9 05	
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